IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): An information processing device for executing various kinds of information processing based on an operation system (OS) program and application programs that are executed on the operating system, said information processing device comprising:

a main body having a keyboard mounted thereon;

a display body with a display screen arranged on a front surface, which is connected to said main body to rotate in opening/folding directions and in a turning direction;

at least first operating means for operating the information processing device disposed at a position to be operable when a back surface of said display body is close to said main body by rotation; and

display control means for displaying a system menu showing processing items based on said OS program on said display screen based on an operation of said first operating means; and

second operating means for operating the information processing device disposed at a position to be operable when the back surface of said display body is close to said main body, wherein

said display control means selects a processing item to be executed from said system menu based on operation of said second operating means, and

one of said first and second operating means is provided outside of said display body and the other of said first and second operating means is provided on the display body but outside of <u>and operating independently of contact with</u> said display screen.

Claim 2 (Canceled).

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Claim 3 (Currently Amended): An information processing device for executing various kinds of information processing based on an operating system (OS) program and application programs which are executed on the operating system, said information processing device comprising:

a main body having a keyboard mounted thereon;

a display body with a display screen arranged on a front surface, which is connected to said main body to rotate in opening/folding directions and in a turning direction;

a photographing case having a photographing function;

at least first operating means for operating the information processing device arranged at a position to be operable under a photographing condition where a back surface of said display body is close to said main body by rotation; and

display control means for displaying a system menu showing processing items based on said OS program on said display screen based on an operation of said first operating means; and

second operating means for operating the information processing device arranged at a position so as to be operable under the photographing condition where the back surface of said display body is close to said main body, wherein

said display control means selects a processing item to be executed from said system menu based on operation of said second operating means, and

one of said first and second operating means is provided outside of said display body and the other of said first and second operating means is provided on the display body but outside of <u>and operating independently of contact with</u> said display screen.

Claim 4 (Canceled).

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Claim 5 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to Claim 1, wherein:

said first operating means can be pressed; and

said second operating means can be rotated and pressed.

Claim 6 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to Claim 3, wherein:

said first operating means can be pressed; and

said second operating means can be rotated and pressed.

Claim 7 (Original): The information processing device according to Claim 1, wherein

said display control means cancels a display of said system menu when at least one of following conditions occurs: where said first operating means is operated while said system menu is displayed; where preset time passes after said system menu is displayed; where a processing item to be executed is selected from said system menu; and where prescribed operating means including said keyboard is operated.

Claim 8 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to Claim 1, wherein

said display control means displays at least one processing item out of a processing item relating to input/output setting of said information processing device, a processing item relating to a graphical user interface (GUI), and a processing item relating to operation modes

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of the information processing device, as the processing items to be displayed in said system menu.

Claim 9 (Currently Amended): An information processing device for executing various kinds of information processing based on an operating system (OS) program and application programs that are executed on the operating system, said information processing device comprising:

a main body having a keyboard mounted thereon;

a display body with a display screen arranged on a front surface, which is connected to said main body to rotate in opening/folding directions and in a turning direction;

at least a first operating unit configured to operate the information processing device disposed at a position to be operable when a back surface of said display body is close to said main body by rotation;

a display controller configured to display a system menu showing processing items based on said OS program on said display screen based on an operation of said first operating unit; and

a second operating unit configured to operate the information processing device disposed at a position to be operable when the back surface of said display body is close to said main body, wherein

said display controller selects a processing item to be executed from said system menu based on operation of said second operating unit, and

one of said first and second operating units is provided outside of said display body and the other of said first and second operating units is provided on the display body but outside of and operating independently of contact with said display screen.

Claim 10 (Canceled).

Claim 11 (Currently Amended): An information processing device for executing various kinds of information processing based on an operating system (OS) program and application programs which are executed on the operating system, said information processing device comprising:

a main body having a keyboard mounted thereon;

a display body with a display screen arranged on the front surface, which is connected to said main body to rotate in opening/folding directions and in a turning direction;

a photographing case having a photographing function;

at least a first operating unit configured to operate the information processing device arranged at a position to be operable under a photographing condition when a back surface of said display body is close to said main body by rotation;

a display controller configured to display a system menu showing processing items based on said OS program on said display screen based on an operation of said first operating unit; and

a second operating unit configured to operate the information processing device positioned to be operable under the photographing condition when the back surface of said display body is close to said main body, wherein

said display controller selects a processing item to be executed from said system menu based on operation of said second operating unit, and

one of said first and second operating units is provided outside of said display body and the other of said first and second operating units is provided on the display body but outside of <u>and operating independently of contact with</u> said display screen.

Claim 12 (Canceled).

Claim 13 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to Claim 9, wherein:

said first operating unit includes a button which can be pressed; and

said second operating unit includes a dial which can be rotated and pressed.

Claim 14 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to Claim 11, wherein:

said first operating unit includes a button which can be pressed; and

said second operating unit includes a dial which can be rotated and pressed.

Claim 15 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to Claim 9, wherein

said display controller cancels a display of said system menu when at least one of following conditions occurs: where said first operating unit is operated while said system menu is displayed; where preset time passes after said system menu is displayed; where a processing item to be executed is selected from said system menu; and where a prescribed operating unit including said keyboard is operated.

Claim 16 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to Claim 9, wherein

said display controller displays at least one processing item out of a processing item relating to input/output setting of said information processing device, a processing item relating to a graphical user interface (GUI), and a processing item relating to operation modes

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of the information processing device, as the processing items to be displayed in said system menu.

Claim 17 (Currently Amended): An information processing device for executing various kinds of information processing based on an operating system (OS) program and application programs that are executed on the operating system, said information processing device comprising:

a main body having a keyboard mounted thereon;

a display body with a display screen arranged on a front surface, which is connected to said main body to rotate in opening/folding directions and in a turning direction;

at least first operating means for operating the information processing device disposed at a position to be operable when a back surface of said display body is close to said main body by rotation; and

display control means for displaying a system menu showing processing items based on said OS program on said display screen based on an operation of said first operating means, wherein

selection of a first one of the processing items configures at least one of a plurality of hardware input/output devices, and selection of at least a second one of the processing items configures a communication setting; and

second operating means for operating the information processing device positioned to be operable when the back surface of said display body is close to said main body, wherein

said display control means selects a processing item to be executed from said system menu based on operation of said second operating means, and

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one of said first and second operating means is provided outside of said display body

and the other of said first and second operating means is provided on the display body but

outside of <u>and operating independently of contact with</u> said display screen.

Claim 18 (Canceled).

Claim 19 (Currently Amended): An information processing device for executing

various kinds of information processing based on an operating system (OS) program and

application programs which are executed on the operating system, said information

processing device comprising:

a main body having a keyboard mounted thereon;

a display body with a display screen arranged on the front surface, which is connected

to said main body to rotate in opening/folding directions and in a turning direction;

a photographing case having a photographing function;

at least first operating means for operating the information processing device

positioned to be operable under a photographing condition when a back surface of said

display body is close to said main body by rotation; and

display control means for displaying a system menu showing processing items based

on said OS program on said display screen based on an operation of said first operating

means, wherein selection of a first one of the processing items configures at least one of a

plurality of hardware input/output devices, and selection of at least a second one of the

processing items configures a communication setting; and

second operating means for operating the information processing device positioned to

be operable under the photographing condition when the back surface of said display body is

close to said main body, wherein

said display control means selects a processing item to be executed from said system

menu based on operation of said second operating means, and

one of said first and second operating means is provided outside of said display body

and the other of said first and second operating means is provided on the display body but

outside of <u>and operating independently of contact with</u> said display screen.

Claim 20 (Canceled).

Claim 21 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to

Claim 17, wherein:

said first operating means can be pressed; and

said second operating means can be rotated and pressed.

Claim 22 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to

Claim 19, wherein:

said first operating means can be pressed; and

said second operating means can be rotated and pressed.

Claim 23 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to

Claim 17, wherein

said display control means cancels a display of said system menu when at least one of

following conditions occurs: where said first operating means is operated while said system

menu is displayed; where preset time passes after said system menu is displayed; where a

processing item to be executed is selected from said system menu; and where a prescribed

operating means including said keyboard is operated.

Claim 24 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to

Claim 17, wherein

said display control means displays at least one processing item out of a processing

item relating to input/output setting of said information processing device, a processing item

relating to a graphical user interface (GUI), and a processing item relating to operation modes

of the information processing device, as the processing items to be displayed in said system

menu.

Claim 25 (Currently Amended): An information processing device for executing

various kinds of information processing based on an operating system (OS) program and

application programs that are executed on the operating system, said information processing

device comprising:

a main body having a keyboard mounted thereon;

a display body with a display screen arranged on a front surface, which is connected

to said main body to rotate in opening/folding directions and in a turning direction;

at least a first operating unit configured to operate the information processing device

positioned to be operable when a back surface of said display body is close to said main body

by the rotation; and

a display controller configured to display a system menu showing processing items

based on said OS program on said display screen based on an operation of said first operating

unit, wherein

selection of a first one of the processing items configures at least one of a plurality of

hardware input/output devices, and selection of at least a second one of the processing items

configures a communication setting; and

a second operating unit positioned to be operable when the back surface of said

display body is close to said main body, wherein

said display controller selects a processing item to be executed from said system

menu based on operation of said second operating unit, and

one of said first and second operating units is provided outside of said display body

and the other of said first and second operating units is provided on the display body but

outside of and operating independently of contact with said display screen.

Claim 26 (Canceled).

Claim 27 (Currently Amended): An information processing device for executing

various kinds of information processing based on an operating system (OS) program and

application programs which are executed on the operating system, said information

processing device comprising:

a main body having a keyboard mounted thereon;

a display body with a display screen arranged on the front surface, which is connected

to said main body to rotate in opening/folding directions and in a turning direction;

a photographing case having a photographing function;

at least a first operating unit configured to operate the information processing device

positioned to be operable under a photographing condition when a back surface of said

display body is close to said main body by rotation; and

a display controller configured to display a system menu showing processing items

based on said OS program on said display screen based on an operation of said first operating

unit, wherein

selection of a first one of the processing items configures at least one of a plurality of

hardware input/output devices, and selection of at least a second one of the processing items

configures a communication setting; and

a second operating unit configured to operate the information processing device

positioned to be operable under the photographing condition when the back surface of said

display body is close to said main body, wherein

said display controller selects a processing item to be executed from said system

menu based on operation of said second operating unit, and

one of said first and second operating units is provided outside of said display body

and the other of said first and second operating units is provided on the display body but

outside of and operating independently of contact with said display screen.

Claim 28 (Canceled).

Claim 29 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to

Claim 25, wherein:

said first operating unit includes a button which can be pressed; and

said second operating unit includes a dial which can be rotated and pressed.

Claim 30 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to

Claim 27, wherein:

said first operating unit includes a button which can be pressed; and

said second operating unit includes a dial which can be rotated and pressed.

Claim 31 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to Claim 25, wherein

said display controller cancels a display of said system menu when at least one of following conditions occurs: where said first operating unit is operated while said system menu is displayed; where preset time passes after said system menu is displayed; where a processing item to be executed is selected from said system menu; and where a prescribed operating unit including said keyboard is operated.

Claim 32 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to Claim 27, wherein

said display controller displays at least one processing item out of a processing item relating to input/output setting of said information processing device, a processing item relating to a graphical user interface (GUI), and a processing item relating to operation modes of the information processing device, as processing items to be displayed in said system menu.

Claim 33 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to Claim 17, wherein

said configuration of at least one of the plurality of hardware input/output devices configures at least one of an external monitor output, a television output, screen luminance, and output volume.

Claim 34 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to Claim 19, wherein

said configuration of at least one of the plurality of hardware input/output devices

configures at least one of an external monitor output, a television output, screen luminance,

and output volume.

Claim 35 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to

Claim 25, wherein

said configuration of at least one of the plurality of hardware input/output devices

configures at least one of an external monitor output, a television output, screen luminance,

and output volume.

Claim 36 (Previously Presented): The information processing device according to

Claim 27, wherein

said configuration of at least one of the plurality of hardware input/output devices

configures at least one of an external monitor output, a television output, screen luminance,

and output volume.